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**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION****TRANSMITTAL**

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**  
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Attorney Docket No. 1075.1185

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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
5. ☐ Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status
6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 C.F.R. 1.76
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**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

9. ☒ Assignment (cover sheet & document(s)) to FUJITSU LIMITED of Kawasaki, Japan  
☒ for publication of assignee information under 37 CFR 1.215(b)
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
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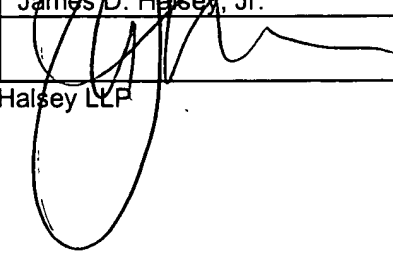
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| <b>NEW APPLICATION<br/>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b> |            | Attorney Docket No.  | 1075.1185        |
|  |            | Application Number   | Unassigned       |
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**SUBMISSION OF CERTIFIED COPY OF PRIOR FOREIGN  
APPLICATION IN ACCORDANCE  
WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF 37 C.F.R. § 1.55**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.55, the applicant(s) submit(s)  
herewith a certified copy of the following foreign application:

Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-372231

Filed: December 7, 2000

Japanese Patent Application No. 2001-205179

Filed: July 5, 2001

It is respectfully requested that the applicant(s) be given the benefit of the foreign filing  
date(s) as evidenced by the certified papers attached hereto, in accordance with the  
requirements of 35 U.S.C. § 119.

Respectfully submitted,

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